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For: METHOD OF FABRICATING A SEMICONDUCTOR
DEVICE CONTAINING NITROGEN IN A GATE OXIDE
FILM (As Amended)

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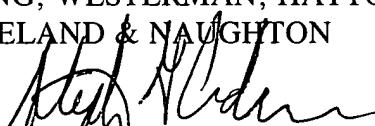
Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed in order to comply with Applicant's duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56. The documents listed on the Form PTO-1449 were made of record in parent application Serial No. 08/917,936 filed August 27, 1997. Accordingly, copies of the references are not attached.

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